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Applicant: Günther Beisel
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FUNCTION AS WELL AS A METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION
THEREOF
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AMENDMENT

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In response to the Office action dated October 3, 2003,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of


dissolution of the compound so as to achieve targeted release of the material in the intestine. There is no teaching by Beisel of a method for producing such a composition, as recited in the claims presently on file.

In view of these considerations it is respectfully submitted that the rejection of claims 1-20 under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) over the above-discussed reference is overcome and should be withdrawn.

Reconsideration and allowance of the present application are respectfully requested.

Any additional fees or charges required at this time in connection with this application may be charged to Patent and Trademark Office Deposit Account No. 11-1835.

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